NEW YORK, June 5,-A special from Rustchuk says the Turks took possession of the heights in the rear of Giorgeve and opened fire on the enemy this morning. The aim and accuracy of the Turkish fire was remarkable. Three boats were destroyed by it, and it seems evident that they have some gunners of other than Turkish extraction directing their cannons. No in the public schools. Russian response u as made.

A TURKISH DEFEAT. City next Saturday. There was a battle to-day near Maljat, lasting several hours. The Turks were defeated, and lost 500 men. The Montene grins' losses are not yet ascertained.

THE CZAR'S DEMANDS. A London special says a dispatch from St. Petersburg says that Prince Gortschakoff's note to Lord Derby, of which Count Sconwaloff is the hearer, states that the Caardoes not want any territorial increase in Europe, but only desires autonomy for Bulgaria and the independence of Roumania and Servia. He also demands the cersion of Armenia from Bayard to the coast, but not including Erseroum.

BAD FOR THE TURES. A Berlin correspondent of the Lond Times telegraphs as follows: It is asserted on good authority that Count Von Moltke regards Russia's change as steadily improving, in consequence of the extraordinary negligence and lack of foresight of the

PANIC AT ERZEROUM. A Vienna dispatch says the Turks ex aggerate their troubles, and believes that the main body of the Russian center is still near Kars, and that the recent punic at | mand. Erzeroum was provoked by a flying corps of Comacks and irregulars.

NO RUMLANS ACROSS THE DANUBE. A dispatch from Rustchuk says that not withstanding the reports published in the English journals, not a single Russian soldier has yet crossed the Danube. Atten-Oltenetza, but everything is now comparatively quiet at these points,

FIGHTING NEAR KARS. From the army operating in the neighborhood of Kars, it is announced that heavy fighting has taken place at Ottor, or the Lower Bador River, but no details are given. The fighting arose from an atten of Abchasians to pass the river.

A RETREAT THREATENED. A retreat of an Ottoman corns from Karakialissa to Prokkalch and Delibaba is threatened by an advance detachment of the Russian center.

News received at Russian headquarters at Plogisti from Asia is very meagre.

LONDON, June 4.- A dispatch to the Times from Danilograde states that the bulk of the Turkish forces at Padgoritza, about fifteen battalions, have advanced to Sues, probably with the intention of at- next week. tacking Sogance.

Selman Pasha, Turkish commander in Hersegovinia, has received considerable

A hard fight is expected at Krustaz. Four hundred and fifty insurgents and Montenegrins attacked the village of Sto- 29. ser on the 31st of May and destroyed the village. The Turkish loss was one hun- and a half feet, was killed near Ironton, dred and eighteen regulars and thirty ir | Monday. regulars, killed. The Montenegrins lost one hundred and eleven killed and nineteen

Duga Pass. AN ENGAGEMENT EXPECTED.

A Vienna dispatch to the Times says an ngagement is expected near Nicsica. The bulk of the Montenegrin forces and their whole artillery have come to some place Camp. above Nicsics. It is supposed the Montenegrins will make an effort to take Nicsics before Seliman Pasha can come down through Duga Pass, which is held by the bulk of the insurgents.

AN EXAGGERATION. The Daily Telegraph's story of the de struction of Moussa Pasha's Circassians is an exaggeration. The Rumian official account says the Circamians were dispersed, other day. losing the motiest number of 83 killed, out of a total of 4,000 engaged, which is much more probable than that 4,000 irregulars were said to be slaughtered after a night THE CAMPAIGN IN ASIA.

The Standard's Constantinople correspondent says the fate of the campaign in Asia is practically settled. Mukhtah Pasha is about to fall back on Erseroum, which, as I learn from the best authority, is wholly open and cannot be helped. The Russian are advancing in force toward Diartskir. and there is nothing to prevent them from getting possession of the Euphrates the sere and yellow leaf with a bountiful Valley.

ON THE DANUER. Reports from Turkish sources concern ng the Danube, are, on the other hand, ex-coedingly hopeful. Notwithstanding this ing him with a strap.—Springfeld Lender. sort of pressure, British intervention seems at present the most unlikely thing in the

The only dangers apparent to prevent a localization of the war are the participa-

in the cause of humanity. THE SWOLLEN DANUBE.

tery in the Russian army.

MINCELLAWROUS HOTEL The London Genetic contains various badly hurt. notices providing for the removal of procautions against the rinderpest by the 30th

of American naval officers and engineers hinge. In all other respects they are purhad arrived at St. Petersburg is untrue. fectly formed.

ROUND ABOUT.

-Crops in Dunklin county are troubled

chools next year.

w the army worm.

ome improvements.

bushel and is scarce.

an extensive cigar factory.

been erected at Waldron.

in a little personal journalism.

with kerosene. It kills them.

ember 26 and continues four days.

-The ruralists are dosing grasshopp

-The St. Joseph Exposition manager

-Clinton county is growing wild with

are after Goldsmith Maid for their show.

excitement over the temperance question.

rmon at Monticello seminary Sunday.

-The cheese factory at Palmyra co

-St. Joseph Exposition will begin or

-Five military deserters passed through

Weston, Friday, en route to Leavenworth

-0. P. Draper has been sentenced to be

Seminary, at Liberty, begin on Thursday,

-The Lewis county fair will be held

-A home thief-or what was once

ed to outrage a little girl in Springfield the

-A good girl wanted to do housewe

-Some graceless scamp in Jefferson City

-Miss Lemons is the belle of an Iowa

-The Paris Mercury reports the farme

-A colored barber on St. Louis Street

got on his muscle last Friday night and

State boundaries and strikes a telling blow

them until they killed forty-four.

-Joplin News 29th : Young gramhop-

St. Joseph Ganette,

says Old Monroe will greet the season

town. All the young men are desirous aqueezing her. -St. Joe Chronicle.

Go in lemons and get squeezed.

has stolen an old colored womans last pig

Why didn't you let her do it?

The Tribune is squealing about it.

Jefferson City.

Girardeau.

-Nine churches in Pleasant Hill. Attempt to Rob a Train -A town hall wanted in Columbia. Atlantic and Pacific The Busine -Only two criminals in the Cam county and Tender Thrown From the -Stoddard county has a corn stalk fence Track-Three Men Killed-The -Freight train robbers are getting num-Robbers Fail to Carry Out Their Purposes. -Reynolds county will have thirty-five

[Special to the Basoo.]

TRAIN WRIGHTER.

St. Louis, June 4, 10 a. m. - Granby has 11 teachers and 400 pupils The Atlantic and Pacific express trais going East, 150 miles from St. Louis and -"Brick" Pomerov will speak at Dexter 27 miles out from Lebanon Station, Sunday -Platte City is making numerous hand--In Joplin corn is worth fifty cents per purpose of

WRECKING THE TRAIN. -Marble Hill, in Bollinger, is to have The night had been intensely dark, and a heavy mist, produced by the recent rains, -A new Southern Methodist church has filled the air and obscured the vision of engineer as the rushing train, crowded with -The Springfield papers are indulging passengers, dashed at full speed over what wan supposed to be the best piece of road along the line. The place for the disaster had been selected at a point where nothing -The Kirksville Fair commences Sep- but a miracle could save the train from utter destruction. An abrupt embankment was on one side and

A SHEER DIPCENT of twenty feet on the other. Unsuspicio of danger, the train rushed into the tray -Rev. Mr. Spencer delivered the annual repared by the assamins, and the engine terrible crash. The force of the decrea femes that it is not able to supply the defortunately uncoupled the tender from the the 10th of September and last for one der were a total wreck, and

THREE MEN WERE KILLED instantly. These were Dr. E. L. Atkinso rgeon of the Missouri Pacific, residing at tion is now concentrated on Nicopolis and hung in Green county on Friday, July 13. Pacific City; Frank Caton, the engineer, residing at the same place, and Sam Richliam Jewell College will begin Saturday, These men were all upon the engine, and falling. -The commencement exercises of Clay their bodies were frightfully mangled. The -The Clark county fair will be held at | bed, and constituted a sufficient obstruction -A St. Francois county dog recently sprang to their teet and attempted to rush done. treed fifteen 'possums and two weasels in out. Just at this moment a band of me

-So small a thing as a stocking with a FIRED A VOLLEY whole in it broke a wedding engagement in into the train and then fled. One bullet passed through the hat of Conductor Wilpected citizen of Moniteau county, is dead. son, barely grazing his head. Fortunately Templars held at Paris, Monroe county, soon as possible intellurence of the disaster was sent to Richland, and a message was -The continuous rains in Taney county forwarded down the line for an engine have discouraged the farmers in planting This arriving, the train with the bodies of the dead pursued its way to St. Louis at where an inquest was held. There is no

LaGrange on September 25, 26, 27, 28 and clue to the perpetrators. There can be doubt, however, that the purpose was -A monster black snake, measuring nine bery. The persons had removed the rail at a point where it seemed impossible for THE TRAIN TO ESCAPE -A tape-worm twenty-nine feet in length was recently taken from a boy in Cape utter destruction. Its preservation, under

the circumstances, is little less than -The Adair county fair will begin Wed- miracle. When the rush was made from needay, September 26, and continue four the cars, the robbers became frightened, and reasonably thinking that in a conflict with so large a body of men, possibly, well armed, that they would get the worst of it concluded that discretion was the -Mrs. Butler in Benton County was better part of valor, and this accounts for thrown from a horse Saturday and fatally their flight. It is equally a matter of congratulation and surprise that -Johny Ryan, a lad ten years old, was

NO ONE WAS WOUNDED

drowned in the Morean near Jefferson City by the volley fired into the train. In the -A man supposed to be a tramp attempthurry and excitement incident to the failare advanced as to the

IDENTITY OF THE PERPETRATORS Some think that it was done by a party of ramps, while others think that it was the work of an organized band of thieves, similar to those who planued and executed the Otterville robbery. The railroad company will spare no pains to bring the miscreants ushing things lively in that region, and to justice.

A reporter of the Globe-Democrat interviewed Conductor Wilson of the wrecked railroad train on the A. & P. road, who expresses himself as follows: Conductor Wilson says he can hardly account for the What did the boy rasor fues with him for. est night in the week for both freight and particular value on board of the train, no in defense of Mrs. Ella Matson, the decapitated postmistress at Jefferson City. and Crete, such as would render the inter- bees came out of the gum and got after a road company. After summing up all the tate to pick a pocket if he had an oppor-

vere cut to the bone across the left shoulder, and a stab behind it. Both parties were tinetly.

sengers are satisfied that the breaking of the coupling between the tender and baggage car alone saved their lives. Had the denone, therefore, accomplished their object there would have been twenty-five or thirty

VIOLENT ELEMENTS.

Terrific Hail and Wind Storm Southwest Missouri.

WEBE CITY via CARTHAGE, Mo., June 2 the northern part of town last evening. which blew down and totally destroyed a particulars: new store building, 24 by 80 feet, erected by the Mesers, Cox Bros., Mount Rose, Clinton county, this state, who would have ocmorning encountered a vacant track near cupied it in a few days with a large stock of Richland Station, caused by the removal of hardware. The workmen were just putting a rail by unknown parties, with the evident the finishing strokes on it and expected to ture it over to the owners next week. Two of them at work barely escaped being caught in the collapse. A tenement house belonging to Judge Byers, located a little north of town, was also blown down, and although it was occupied by two families at the time, no one was hurt. A large number of small out-houses were blown over but no other serious damage was done. Advices received from Joplin give an ac

STORM AT BOONVILLE, MO. BOONVILLE, June 2.—Boonville and vicinity was visited by a terrible cyclone at about the body. 3:30 p. m. The rain and hail commenced accompanied by a strong southwest wind. man and his brother Henry were both adous building, costing about \$15,000 or \$20,- had 000, was partly unroofed, about fifty feet and tender fell down the embankment with being thrown entirely to the ground. The about her. At all events, young Buck, the damage to the building is not known. The brother of the girl, and Henry Lanner steamer Fannie Lewis sustained some in- have been arrested, and are now in jail at juries. The amoke-stacks and jackstaffs Warrensburg. The inquest will be held were blown and twisted to the deck. Her from destruction. But the engine and ten- kitchen was badly torn up. She is laying at the levee. Reports along the line of the Missouri Pacific railroad state that trees were torn up, buildings blown down, and even potatoes forced out of the ground. Boonville has not experienced such a storm for years. At this writing-8 p. m .- the weather is warm and cloudy. The wind is involved in considerable mystery, and ardson, the fireman, residing at Pierce City. has entirely subsided, but a slight rain is

HAIL STORM IN CASS COUNTY. HARRISONVILLE, June 2. - A terrible hail storm passed over this town this afternoon Hail stones the size of goose eggs fell.

TOPEKA, Ks., June 2.- The Kangas river Hill, as the former one did. A heavy green." rain fell here to-day, and much harder ones to the west, accompanied by considerable hail, but no damage as far as heard from.

TERRIBLE TORNADO.

inhabitants, on the Cairo and Vincennes upon a number of glass goblets filled with Railroad. The most PROMINENT BUILDINGS DESTROYED

newspaper offices, three churches-one the Sweet Home," "Blue Bells of Scotland" first in Southern Illinois-and two school and other songs, won for them rounds of houses. About twenty business houses and applause. about one hundred residences were destroved or damaged, either by the wind or Wilson was simply immense, Their gymand R. H. Sylvester, Jr., Farmington them for State bonds.

to half a crillion dollars. The same storm damaged a number of buildings in other towns lying in its pathway. KILLED AND WOUNDED.

Hundreds of citizens have been killed

many more are wounded.

The Rat Question. The rat question is becoming one serious concern to the agriculturists of them he excels in impersonating a dashing it should be taken as a solemn warning by Saline county. There was a meeting of the young lady, dressed stylishly and moving girls with a bad breath. This is how it citizens of Grand Pass township, at the gracefully and naturally over the stage, in- happened. The young man was taking school house near Mr. Lacy's, at which deed, it is difficult to imagine that he is not leave of his sweetheart after having spent the winning man. gathering it was resolved that the request he made to the farmers of the whole country to put out poison during the next they probably fired too high. Altogether, three weeks. After that time the present it is one of the most miraculous escapes growth of wheat will be headed, and the cept, indeed, as was sometimes the case, for and early breakfast and had got as far sembly, it is proper to state that no advance on record. Of course no blame can be at. pests will not be so likely to eat the poisontacked to the company. Various theories ous baits when they can get plenty new then reversed and held before the audience. seized him on the threshold and remarking tion therefor was made by the tion with roving privileges. wheat. It is said that the rate are taking up all the new planted corn in the Plains, and some give it as their opinion that unless something can be done to abate in some measure the plague, that it will be impos-

> sible to raise a crop of corn. —Perhaps it is not worth raising a row about, but we find several of our "Press Paragraphs" copied into the Columbia Statesman and credited to the St. Louis Journal. We knew that 'Gene Field's mind was somewhat distraught over the Holden coquette, but never believed he would sail under the skull and cross-hones. — Enterprise-Monitor.
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> They play again to-nig ll to go early as they wi a crowded house.
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> Warrensburg is their they remain two nights.
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The same over this way. Mr. Field has passenger train arrived at Muscogee in the crime. Saturday night is always the light- done the Bazoo the honor of adopting Indian Nation, Mr. J. M. Hepburn head some half dozen of its paragraphs without clerk of the postal division locked up his passenger traffic. There was nothing of any credit, and has sent them out into the car and went to supper when he returned country as his own. Several of them have after an absence of half an hour he found heavy shipment of money or valuable got into the Columbia Statesman, credited to the car broken open and sixteen registered goods, and, to his knowledge, none of the the St. Louis Journal, under the head of letters containing various sums of money passengers carried sufficient money to tempt "Press Paragraphs." It is quite probable gone. The thief was evidently acquainted the desperadoss to commit such a terrible that this is wholly accidental on the part with the location of the letters, for he abthese might precipitate Austrian interven
The Miami, Saline County Index says: crime, He does not know either that there of Mr. Field. The man who will deliber
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Structed nothing else. These meager partion. The second might give rise to out. One day this week, on the farm of Mr. is any ill-feeling existing between the parrages and disturbance in Epirus, Thessaly Thomas Duggius, near Petra, a swarm o ties along the line of the road and the railvention of the Western Powers imperative gang of young turkeys, and kept stunging evidence in the case, he is of the opinion tunity. Originality of thought and ex-There is agood deal of typhus and dystn- the hands of Ferguson, who received a ne-

Chief Engineer Dum. He is estimated that had just returned from the Black Hills, poem read to-day before Press Convention ray of good harvest promises all over the -Children Cry for Pitcher's Casdoes threw the train of the that a man whom he believed to have been at Fredericktown by George W. Ferrell. country. The gramboppers and potatology toris. It is as pleasant to take as honey.

Coates Kinney, was killed near Deadwood, It is full of poetic fire and imagery, and are not so fermidable as was feared, and It contains no morphine or other deleteri- with a young coxcomb, who, risk cautions against the rinderpent by the-30th or of a very remarkable pair of twins. Coates Kinney, and instance of the state of the formers have almost forgotton to grammatic formers and instance of the state of th DENIES.

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TERRIBLE MURDER.

Young Coal Miner Killed Mear Warrensburg-His Brother Supposed to be the Assessin - A Woman in the Case.

Yesterday Peter Lanners, a German coal Wakenda, the particulars of a des miner, living about two miles from War- shooting aftray which occurred at rensburg, was found dead in his house, un- place on Friday last. der circumstances which leave no room to Some time last fall, Dan Colyer and doubt that he was brutally murdered. Bailey had a dispute over fifty cents, one -A hail and wind storm passed through From Mr. Middleton, of the Warrensburg claiming it as due him, the other denying Democrat, the Bazoo obtains the following it. Bailey said, "If you don't pay me, I

At first it was supposed that

manmuch as he had been drinking hard for prospering as well as he could wish. But it all right before long." man was shot twice, once over the right ear the mill at Wakenda, Bailey arrived, and and once through the center of the fore- discovering his old antagonist, called out head. Either wound would have occa- to him: sioned instant death, since both PENETRATED THE BRAIN.

There is still another circumstance which discredits the theory of spicide. A pegro they were fully six minutes apart. Besides there was no weapon of any kind found ted.

to-day, and additional facts may be developed in the case. The deceased was about twenty-eight years of age, and was supposed to he in possession of a large which was possibly an additional incentive to the murder. The case so far, however,

will probably require a full investigation by the coroner's jury to show all the facts.

The Minstrels.

The California Minstrels performed here last night to a very fair house. This company is one of the most complete that has is now at the highest point during the Mr. Wilson, while the famous Bernardo

The antics and humorous songs of Messa Mackin and Sutton made a decided hit. The first past concluded with the very laughable dialogue of Dr.Birck's College, which was very amusing. In the Unionville New Century; H. DeB. Cutler, office on time. CINCINNATI, June 5.-Mount Carmel, second part the curtain rose on the Levino Glenwood Criterion; D. M. Puterbaugh, Ill., which was struck by a tornado last Bros., in their musical specialty, the Tum-Milan Republican; E. Allen, Lexington water and which was one of the greatest

The act "Washday," by Mackin and nastics and ludicrous falls fairly carried the house by storm. They are different is estimated from three hundred thousand from the generality of song and dance artists, and carefully avoid anything rude or vulgar, which must also be said of the entire evening's entertainment. The great Bernardo-for such he truly is-appeared of a wedding. In fact little things oftener Hundreds of citizens have been killed next in his female impersonalities, which mar human happiness than great ones. bodies have been taken from the ruins, and consisted of selections of operatic airs. Not agreat while ago the Bazoo recorded This gentleman possesses a sweet soprano the veracious story of a young lady brought voice, with wonderful power and company. to grief by a hole in her stocking. It is flis dresses are a great feature, and in now its sad duty to relate an incident which

all he seems. The crayon drawings be the Levinos are marvelous. The portraits they drew were talking of the crops and the weather. He when they were drawn upside down, and as the door. An impulse of affection sheets will be issued—no appropria- Sioux-ter for a government reservawere aproper.

in which the whole company appeared. They play again to-night, and we advise ll to go early as they will be sure to have

Robbery of a Postal Car.

Warrensburg is their next point, where

Yesterday evening when the M. K. & T.

The entertainment given by the Cali- was the reply. that an attempt was made to throw the pression is a newspaper man's stock in fornis Minetrels, at Smith's Hall, last entire train over the embankment, that the trade—it is generally all he possesses; and night, was attended by a very fair audience. you?" The Danube is still impassable. Rarely has water risen so high at this season, and has water risen so high at this season, and are numbers of them.

—Joplin New 29th: Young grambop—murderers might easily rob each passenger of whatever valuables he might find on his liberate slander or open larceny is a third acquitted themselves to the antisfaction of broken it."

—Joplin New 29th: Young grambop—murderers might easily rob each passenger of whatever valuables he might find on his liberate slander or open larceny is a third acquitted themselves to the antisfaction of broken it." person, but finding that the engine and by instinct! While on this point it may be tender were all that were over, they fired as well to say that while it is the duty of a say that while it is the duty of as well to say that while it is the duty of as well to say that while it is the duty of as well to say that while it is the duty of as well to say that while it is the duty of as well to say that while it is the duty of a say that while it is the duty of as well to say that while it is the duty of a say that while it is the duty of a say that while it is the duty of a say that while it is the duty of a say that while it is the duty of a say that while it is the duty of a s from the Bavarian and Carpathian Mountains has still to come, and experts estimate it will encorely be possible to cross for four weeks.

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learned, from a citizen of this place, who had just returned from the Black From

A MURDEROUS APPRAY.

Two Men Quarrel Over Pufty Cents and Fight a Duel to the Death.

The Mobac'y Entryprise-Monitor learns from Mr. Sidenstricker, station agent at

Bailey brought suit, and Colver made his word good as to the fight. The former

several days, and had been suffering greatly still believing that he was able to make from mental depression in consequence of a Colyer regret his conduct, uttered a threat, love affair, which, possibly, had not been saying, "This is not settled yet; I'll make this theory is dispelled by the fact that the On Friday last, as Colver was leaving

"Dan, I guess we will settle that little

affair now. Each party drew his pistol and cor

menced firing. Which fired the first shot count of the killing of one man and fatally boy engaged in retting out cabbage plants is not certainly known, but both continued wounding of another at that place by on the premises, heard the shots-about 4 until their pistols were emptied, and o'clock in the afternoon-and is certain then, closing in, clubbed their weapons, and used them in that way until separa-

Colver was struck once in the abdome It has been ascertained that the murdered the ball lodging near the spine. Bailey was struck in the right leg, near the hip The furniture factory, a fine and commods- dressing a Miss Buck, and that they had joint, crushing the bone and rendering amputation necessary. Both parties are in a critical condition. No hopes are entertained of Colyer's recovery, and scarcely my of Bailey's.

Colver will leave a roung wife, having een married only eight months to a daughter of Mrs. Montgomery, formerly of Salis-

THE STATE PRESS.

Annual Meeting of the Association at Predericktown.

rom the St. Louis Times June 5th. This morning at 2 o'clock the editor of the various journals throughout the State will assemble in convention at Fredericktown. The meeting will remain in Sale of Bonds-The Laws of the semion for the greater part of two days, Twenty-ninth General Assembly. when such of those present as desire to do

sion, goes down this moring. A Girl With a Bad Breath. The most trivial causes sometimes break

the greater part of the night in THE OLD MAN'S PARLOR instantly recognized by the audience, ex- had rejected the soft entreaty to set it out the law of the Twenty-ninth General As-The stump speech of Senator Sutton was that although he was unable to stay with General Assembly. The copy will go into a piece of oddity and his Latin quotations her any longer, he could kiss her good bye the hands of the Public Printer next week, The performance concluded with a lady had been eating onions in the morn-laughable farce entitled, "Married Life." laughable farce entitled, "Married Life," ing and her breath was tainted with the

As the little rosebud mouth futtered up against his wiry mustache the young man Bard & Miller's receiving a load, took felt as is he had taken a contract to disenfect fright at a keg of white lead, which rolled along better in Asia Minor than on a nest house and didn't like the undertaking a bit. He drew back with involuntary repulsion. The young lady was natur- tributed along the route taken, the entire the generals in that part of the coun-"What do you mean, sir?"

"Nothing, my dear-only I thought-"What did you think?" "That you might have swallowed a piece

The next day his sad and disconsolate

enough to inquire the cause.

A STREET ADVENTURE.

A Blood Curdling Tragedy Investigated by a "Basoo" Reporter, and the Sequel Told.

rounds this morning and passing down a street, one of the principal thoroughfares in the city, just as he got opposite a building occupied by two lone women, his attention was attracted by a loud and hurried rapping on the window, and looking up, saw a lady rapidly and eagerly motioning will sue you," and Colyer replied, "If you for him to come in. Her face was a picture of feminine helplessness, and was pale with limits. suppressed emotion. Having made sure that the attention of the reporter was secured and her pantomime understood, she darted away from the window as if afraid Gorty." of being discovered. In astonishment the reporter stood, his umbrella dropped from his nerveless hand; his limbs were powerless, or visions of horrible murders, bloody corpses, and some terrible accident rose in his mind; but only for a moment, for the lady again appeared at the window and with beseeching looks, redoubled her gestures, and her extreme impatience could not be misunderstood. Resolved to assis the imperitled lady, and protect her from injury, at whatever cost and danger to him-self, the reporter made a dash at the door. It was securely bolted or barred -and per- ing more is to be said about the conhaps both-and the prospect of forcing an dition of our municipal finances. entrance by that way was not encouraging. At this juncture a female voice screamed "Push, oh push, hard and quick! Break it down!" and the sound of hurrying feet came from within. Thoroughly roused, and seeing that no time was to be lost, a shower of kicks and blows, assisted and supplemented by the weight of his whole body, at last march of improvement keeps steadily forced open the door, and assistance was at on. hand. The appearance of the interior of the apartment into which the reporter had thus unceremoniously admitted himself showed nothing remarkable or startling out in the cold as they feared he would and the hero for a moment stood non- be. plussed. It is embaramment was relieved however, by the entrance of the lady, who smilingly and volubly expressed her are not residents of the far West. thanks, "for," said she, "the rain has They hibernate in the most populous swollen the door so much that I couldn't cities. open it. Thank you, sir. Good morning.'

STATE CAPITAL.

Yesterday morning the following representation of the followin of the song, "In the sweet bye and bye," by tives of the press left this city for Freder- 1877. They were issued to pay outstanding ick town: J. S. McClanahan, Standard, Auditor's warrants, with two years time to recent freshet and still rising. This rise fairly entranced the audience in his ex- Milan; J. B. Williams, Telegraph, Fulton; run on, and bearing six per cent, interest. comes from the Bine and not the Smoky quisite song, "See that my grave's kept Geo. W. Gilson, Globe-Democrat; Eugene There was a number of interested ones know whether that Market House-was Field, Journal, St. Louis; A. B. McCreary, present. Among them, Col. Jus. N. Burns built for use or as an ornament. If Rockport Journal; Wm. Fink, Holt Coun- and A. M. Saxton, Esq., of St. Joe; Thos. ty Sentinel ; H. N. Webb, Unionville Re- H. Maston, Esq , of Kansas City ; E. publican ; A. G. Blakey, Pleasant Hill Re- Porter, Esq., and others from St. Louis. view; Dr. J. G Hart and W. T. O'Bryant, The bids were opened in the Governor's

The bids were as follows: J. H. Bernington, of New York, offered evening, is a thriving town of about 3,000 bler Harmonicon, which consisted of solos Intelligencer; J. E. Hitt, Breckinridge for all \$1,001 28 for each bond. No one painful rumor that they have been Bulletin; T. N. Park, Platte City Land- knew him. He had not complied with the salted. mark, president; C. E. Hasbrouck, Boon- requirements of the order of sale-indeed musical treats we have ever enjoyed. The ville Advertiser, secretary, and (i. W. had made no deposit, and property could by the hurricane were the Court-house, two pathetic and humerous rendition of "Home, Ferrel, poet, Boonville. On last evening's not have been received. And yet the bid per cent. of the gross receipts to coltrain were : E. P. Caruthers, Tribune, was decidedly liberal and the highest lect the customs. In private husiness Jefferson City; J. Lee Delby, Register, offered. A telegram was sent him for in- this would be considered a large com-Merysville ; H. H. Slute; Times, Hunts- formation, reference, "put up," etc., but his mission. ville ; L. B. Payne, Courier, Barrisonville, answer was vague. He evidentaly took

offered \$1,000 25 for each and all the It is had policy to put all you've got

Maston's Bank, of Kansas City, offered to take 250 of the bonds at par. This could not be received, because the law thought of this until Mr. McVeigh regires they shall not be sold below par. Phil. Chappel, Jefferson City, banker, offered to take fifty bonds at par.

am informed as I close my letter that he i

The steamer Fannie Lewis reached here trict this fall. at 7 this evening, well laden.

For the benefit of those anxious to obtain

Runaway. At an early hour this morning the team did paper, if he only has a chance. of Mr. Watts, while standing in front of off and struck the horses heels. The team the Danube. Perhaps the reason for started west at breakneck speed and dis- it is there is more Cau-cas sin' among load of sash, doors, shingles and lumber and were finally stopped near the Farmers Mill, after breaking the wagon badly.

The Oldest Conductor. Mr. Elijah Norris, who has been a resident of Alexandria, Clark county, since in his congregation. So the Turk is but no matter; good night," and he made a 1848, claims to be the oldest railroad con- to be put down and the Brooklyn minductor now living in America. His first work in that line dates back to the year twelve miles, and as far as the road was Hot Springs; but what carries the "I have just broken my engagement with then completed, in May, 1830. The train old bald-headed fellows, and Sister Miss ---, and I feel very bad about it," was pulled by horses, locomotives not yet "You mean that she has broken her's with States. He was conductor of the first train something nobody can find out. over the Baltimore and Ohio road from "No, I mean just what I say. I have Baltimore to Harper's Ferry, on the com-

The crops down South are reported en- lished regarding it. In case "Croton Oil" ters who can neither read nor write, coursging, and the prospects north are and his inciscent friends want anything and "the people don't like it." Those

Each and every one of the twenty-old years ago, in Sedalia.

The second sit is specify of a policeman, some eight or nine the association which gave him a trust so said we cannot sak more than to realise in harmless, it is specify, and it again."

Then take my advice and sit down that probability.

There is talk of peace on the

Field mice are proving very dis-

tructive to the corn crop. The Ohio Greenbackers expect to As a reporter of this paper was on hi

carry every thing before them. There's not much difference between the sidewalks and the streets.

Butler has declined to go to Colorade and grow up with the country.

The council did a wise thing last

night in restoring the old market It is said that Alexander familiarly addresses his prime minister as "Old

Boston has a scandal suit which is throwing her first society into convulsions of horror.

Brigham Young has entirely given up his idea of going to war with the United States.

Report has it that Secretary Evarts is getting ready to launch a thunderbolt on the Mexican question.

It is generally understood that noth-

It is thought that Minister Pierre-

pont will look rather crestfallen when he has to take down his cost of arms. St. Louis is to have an Exposition. and Sedalia a District Fair. The

Logan's friends are taking great comfort in the fact that he was not left

The Improved order of Red Men

The Dallas News claims that "Texas produces figs that weigh a quarter of a pound apiece." But possibly it is only a fig-ure of speech.

Sedalia is far too large a town for a ever visited Sedalia. The music and sing- Mountain road to Hot Springs, Arkansas. sell to the best bidder \$25,000 bonds of \$1,- meat, and the repeal of the law giving

The people of East Sedalia want to

for the latter it is not likely to prove a The Short Creek mines are not panning out as well as the first reports

led us to anticipate. There comes a It costs the United States fourteen

Wheat is getting lower every day Times. Judge S. A. Gilbert of the St. Jo- Next in order came J. N. Burns, of St. Farmers had better taken the advice seph Gazette, who is the orator of the occa- Joe, backed by A. M. Sackson. Burns of the Bazoo and sold two weeks ago.

> Butler contends that his letter to Kountz Bros., of New York, offered to Pitkin was not intended for publicatake twenty-five of the bonds at \$98 each. tion, but it is probable Ben never

on an uncertain market.

caromed on him so successfully. Hayes is giving the Republicans of This left Burns, of St. Joe, second best Ohio so many foreign missions that and the first being informal or irregular, I there won't be enough Radicals left in the State to carry a Congressional dis-

> war path. He says he never has and never will Sioux for peace. He's a Under its new management, the St.

Sitting Bull is getting ready for the

Louis Times is one of the brightest and newsiest papers in the West. Sylvester knows how to make a splen-The Russians appear to be getting

What troubles Beecher about Turkey is, that the Sultan has more women in his harem than Beecher has

ister reign without a rival. Sankey and little Henry there? That's

The President means to have the business principles. He seems to for-

-Swift was one day in company